

Leadership Characteristics for Nurses

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Objective

For nurses to understand their role as a leader and as a follower, and how developing leadership skills will improve their overall satisfaction in their career and in the care of patients.

Leadership in Nursing



What is Leadership
Components of Leadership

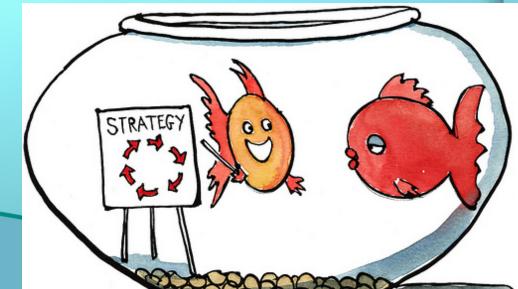


Organization

Self

Peers/Co-Workers

Institutional





Motivation and Productivity

Is there a link between the two

How do you motivate others















Staff Development
Opportunities for CEU's
Continued Education





















Quality Management

How do we institute this

How do we get others on board

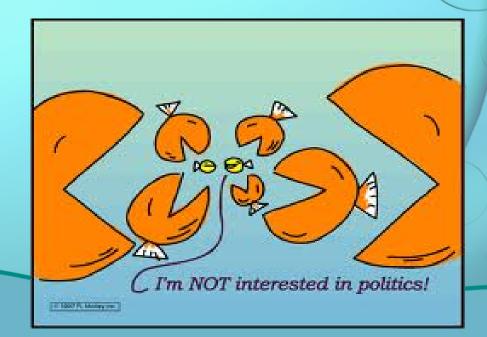


Political Involvement

Local

State

National





Communication Skills

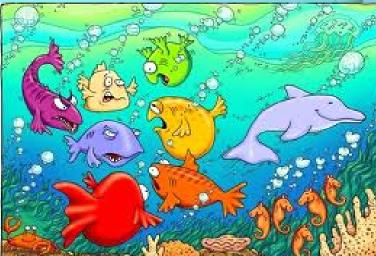
Verbal Nonverbal





Relationship Skills
How important are they

How do you develop them





Directing and Influencing
Positive vs Negative
Leading vs Pushing/Dragging

He was shortish. And oldish.

And brownish. And mossy.

And he spoke with a voice that was sharpish and bossy.

Skills of a Good Leader

Critical Thinking
How important is it as a leader?



Skills of a Good Leader

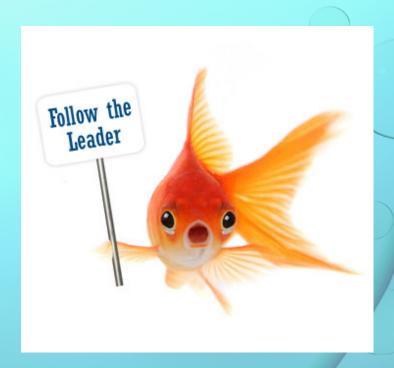




Types of Leader



Authoritarian Democratic Laissez-Faire



Attributes of an Effective Leader



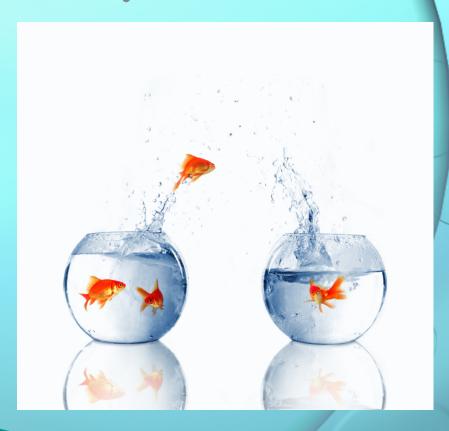
Group Activity...



Followership



Definition
Characteristics
Role



Tying it all together...



Nursing Leadership

Skill building occurs through:

On-the-job training

Support from peers

Mentoring from effective leaders

Dynamic

Not status-quo-seeking role models

Case Scenario

